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TITLE 10—ARMY: WAR DEPARTMENT

CHAPTER III—CLAIMS AND ACCOUNTS

PART 35—PAYMENT OF BILLS AND ACCOUNTS¹

§ 35.23 *To whom paid; responsibility and action in case of loss, destruction, or damage.* (a) Payment for transportation for freight or express will be made to the last carrier, unless otherwise provided in the bill of lading, and only for the quantity of property delivered at destination, except that in case of loss of weight by natural shrinkage en route the weight shipped as shown in the bill of lading will be paid for, provided the packages are delivered intact.

(b) The carrier will be held responsible for loss, destruction, or damage to property while in transit in accordance with discrepancy notations on bills of lading made as provided in paragraph 28e (1), AR 30-950,² unless the cancellation of any such notation is authorized by the consignee who made it. (See par. 28e (6) and (7), AR 30-950.³) Reports of survey submitted and approved under paragraphs 4 and 11, AR 35-6640,⁴ are the final authority under which common carriers are held responsible or relieved from responsibility. See paragraph 13c, AR 35-6640.⁵

(c) Loss, destruction, or damage for which the carrier is held responsible will be deducted in making settlement for services, except in case of loss or destruction of an entire shipment, in which event claim will be filed against contracting carrier. See paragraph 28e (8), AR 30-950.² (RS 161; 5 U.S.C. 22) [Par.

2, AR 35-6120, Mar. 21, 1931, as amended by Cir. 38, W.D., Mar. 5, 1941]

[SEAL]

E. S. ADAMS,
*Major General,
The Adjutant General.*

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TITLE 16—COMMERCIAL PRACTICES

CHAPTER I—FEDERAL TRADE COMMISSION

[Docket No. 3805]

PART 3—DIGEST OF CEASE AND DESIST ORDERS

IN THE MATTER OF AMERICAN MAIZE-PRODUCTS COMPANY

§ 3.45 (e) (1.5) *Discriminating in price—Indirect discrimination—Charges and prices—Classifications generally.* In connection with the offer for sale, sale and distribution of glucose or corn syrup unmixed, in interstate commerce, to purchasers described in stipulation of facts entered into in proceeding in question [i. e., as set forth therein, candy manufacturers, mostly, competitively engaged in sale of candy made from said syrup of like grade and quantity purchased by them of respondent, to chain stores, wholesalers and retailers in the several states, etc., of their said product, in many kinds of which, made by them, such syrup is one of major raw materials, as in Commission's findings in detail set forth], (1) discriminating in price between different purchasers of glucose or corn syrup unmixed of like grade and quality, either directly or indirectly, in the manner and degree as found in Paragraphs Five and Six of the Commission's findings as to the facts and conclusion [i. e., as there set forth, selling its said syrup at its old and lower prices to some purchasers, while concurrently selling such syrup of like grade and quality to other purchasers at its new and higher

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¹ § 35.23 is amended.

² Administrative regulations of the War Department relative to bills of lading.

³ Administrative regulations of the War Department relative to lost, destroyed, damaged, or unserviceable property.



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prices, which exceeded by from 5 to 55 cents per hundredweight the old and lower figures; and selling and delivering its said syrup of like grade and quality to purchasers in several types and sizes of containers at prices per hundredweight which increased over the tank car price per hundredweight according to size and type of container, with dif-

ferentials ranging from 33 cents for barrels to \$1.08 for 5-gallon kegs, and from 10 cents for tank wagons and 13 cents for returnable drums to 33 cents for such drums, depending on presence or absence of return freight thereon and amount thereof; with result that through said varying prices, not shown by it as made in good faith to meet the equally low price of a competitor and differences between which it did not justify, it discriminated in price between favored and unfavored purchasers, candy manufacturers, mostly, as aforesaid, and with further result, by reason of the effect of such discriminations upon said unfavored manufacturers' business, as in detail in the findings set forth, that such discriminations might substantially lessen competition between favored and unfavored purchasers, tend to create a monopoly in the former, and injure, destroy or prevent competition therewith, continuing or resuming such discriminations in price as so found by the Commission, and from otherwise discriminating in price in manner and degree substantially similar to such discriminations as so found by the Commission; and (2) otherwise selling said product to some of the aforesaid purchasers thereof at a different price than to other purchasers, the effect whereof may be substantially to lessen competition or tend to create a monopoly in the line of commerce in which customers of the respondent are engaged, or to injure, destroy or prevent competition with any person who either grants or receives the benefit of such discrimination; prohibited; subject to the provision, however, that nothing shall prevent price differences which make only due allowances for differences in the cost of manufacture, sale or delivery resulting from the differing methods or quantities in which such commodities are to such purchasers sold or delivered; and subject to further provision that nothing shall prevent respondent from showing that its lower price to any purchaser or purchasers was made in good faith to meet any equally low price of a competitor. (Sec. 2 (a), 49 Stat. 1526; 15 U.S.C., Supp. IV, sec. 13 (a)) [Cease and desist order, American Maize-Products Company, Docket 3805, March 15, 1941]

At a regular session of the Federal Trade Commission, held at its office in the City of Washington, D. C., on the 15th day of March, A. D. 1941.

This proceeding having been heard¹ by the Federal Trade Commission upon the complaint of the Commission, the answer filed herein by the respondent, American Maize-Products Company, and the stipulation of facts entered into between the Chief Counsel for the Commission and counsel for the respondent and filed herein, wherein counsel for respondent states his desire to waive hearings on the

charges set forth in the complaint and not to contest the proceeding, and the Commission having made its findings as to the facts and its conclusion based upon the stipulation of facts wherein the respondent admitted the facts solely for the purpose of this proceeding, which findings and conclusions are hereby made a part hereof, that said respondent violated the provisions of an Act of Congress entitled "An Act to supplement existing laws against unlawful restraints and for other purposes", approved October 15, 1914, as amended by the Robinson-Patman Act, approved June 19, 1936 (U.S.C. Title 15, sec. 13);

It is ordered, That respondent, American Maize-Products Company, a corporation, its officers, directors, representatives, agents and employees, in connection with the offering for sale, sale and distribution of glucose or corn syrup unmixed in interstate commerce to purchasers described in said stipulation of facts, do forthwith cease and desist:

(1) From discriminating in price between different purchasers of glucose or corn syrup unmixed of like grade and quality, either directly or indirectly, in the manner and degree as found in Paragraphs Five and Six of the Commission's findings as to the facts and conclusion; from continuing or resuming such discriminations in price as so found by the Commission and from otherwise discriminating in price in manner and degree substantially similar to such discriminations as so found by the Commission;

(2) From otherwise selling said product to some of the aforesaid purchasers thereof at a different price than to other purchasers, the effect whereof may be substantially to lessen competition or tend to create a monopoly in the line of commerce in which customers of the respondent are engaged, or to injure, destroy or prevent competition with any person who either grants or receives the benefit of such discrimination: *Provided* That nothing shall prevent price differences which make only due allowances for differences in the cost of manufacture, sale or delivery resulting from the differing methods or quantities in which such commodities are to such purchasers sold or delivered; and *provided further* That nothing shall prevent respondent from showing that its lower price to any purchaser or purchasers was made in good faith to meet any equally low price of a competitor.

It is further ordered, That said respondent, American Maize-Products Company, shall within sixty (60) days after service upon it of this order file with the Commission a report in writing setting forth in detail the manner and form in which it has complied with this order.

By the Commission.

[SEAL]

OTIS B. JOHNSON,
Secretary.

[F. R. Doc. 41-2269; Filed, March 27, 1941; 11:31 a. m.]

¹ 4 F.R. 2346.

[Docket No. 4245]

IN THE MATTER OF LESSING HAT COMPANY,
INC., ET AL.

§ 3.69 (b) (1) *Misrepresenting oneself and goods—Goods—Composition:* § 3.69 (b) (9) *Misrepresenting oneself and goods—Goods—Old, secondhand or reconstructed as new—Old and used as unused or new:* § 3.71 (a) *Neglecting unfairly or deceptively, to make material disclosure—Composition:* § 3.71 (c) *Neglecting, unfairly or deceptively, to make material disclosure—Old and used as unused or new.* Representing, in connection with offer, etc., in commerce, of hats and caps, (1) that hats or caps manufactured in whole or in part of used or secondhand materials, are new or are composed of new materials, by failure to stamp on the sweat bands thereof, in conspicuous and legible terms which cannot be removed or obliterated without mutilating the sweat bands, a statement that said products are composed of secondhand or used materials, or (2) representing in any manner that hats or caps made in whole or in part from old, used or secondhand materials are new or are composed of new materials, prohibited; subject to the provision, however, that if sweat bands are not affixed to such hats or caps then such stamping must appear on the bodies of such hats or caps in conspicuous and legible terms which cannot be removed or obliterated without mutilating such bodies. (Sec. 5, 38 Stat. 719, as amended by sec. 3, 52 Stat. 112; 15 U.S.C., Supp. IV, sec. 45b) [Cease and desist order, Lessing Hat Company, Inc., et al., Docket 4245, March 13, 1941]

In the Matter of Lessing Hat Company,
Inc., and Joseph Loring, an Individual
Trading as Loring Hat Company

At a regular session of the Federal Trade Commission, held at its office in the City of Washington, D. C. on the 13th day of March, A. D. 1941.

This proceeding having been heard¹ by the Federal Trade Commission upon the complaint of the Commission, testimony and other evidence taken before Miles J. Furnas, an examiner of the Commission theretofore duly designated by it, in support of the allegations of the said complaint and in opposition thereto, by Robert Mathis, Jr., counsel for the Commission, and by S. Jerome Loring, counsel for the respondents, and the Commission having made its findings as to the facts and its conclusion that said respondents have violated the provisions of the Federal Trade Commission Act:

It is ordered, That the respondent Lessing Hat Company, Inc., its officers, directors, representatives, agents and employees, and respondent Joseph Loring, individually and trading as Loring Hat Company, his representatives, agents and employees, directly or through any corporate or other device in connection with the offering for sale, sale and distribution of hats and caps in commerce

as "commerce" is defined in the Federal Trade Commission Act, do forthwith cease and desist from:

(1) Representing that hats or caps manufactured in whole or in part of used or secondhand materials, are new or are composed of new materials, by failure to stamp on the sweat bands thereof in conspicuous and legible terms which cannot be removed or obliterated without mutilating the sweat bands, a statement that said products are composed of secondhand or used materials, provided that if sweat bands are not affixed to such hats or caps then such stamping must appear on the bodies of such hats or caps in conspicuous and legible terms which cannot be removed or obliterated without mutilating said bodies;

(2) Representing in any manner that hats or caps made in whole or in part from old, used or secondhand materials are new or are composed of new materials.

It is further ordered, That respondents shall within sixty (60) days after service upon them of this order, file with the Commission a report in writing setting forth in detail the manner and form in which they have complied with this order.

By the Commission.

[SEAL]

OTIS B. JOHNSON,
Secretary.[F. R. Doc. 41-2270; Filed, March 27, 1941;
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[Docket No. 4408]

IN THE MATTER OF HEALTH RAY MANUFACTURING
COMPANY, INC.

§ 3.6 (n) (2) *Advertising falsely or misleadingly—Nature—Product:* § 3.6 (t) *Advertising falsely or misleadingly—Qualities or properties of product:* § 3.6 (x) *Advertising falsely or misleadingly—Results:* § 3.6 (y) *Advertising falsely or misleadingly—Safety:* § 3.71 (e) *Neglecting, unfairly or deceptively, to make material disclosure—Safety.* Disseminating, etc., in connection with offer, etc., of "Twin-Arc Health Ray Sun Lamp", or any other substantially similar device, any advertisements by means of the United States mails, or in commerce, or by any means, to induce, etc., directly or indirectly, purchase in commerce, etc., of said device, which advertisements represent, directly or through inference, that said device is a sun lamp, that the ultraviolet rays emitted therefrom are comparable to the ultraviolet rays emitted by natural sunlight or have the same wavelengths or have an intensity equal to or greater than the ultraviolet rays of natural midsummer sunlight, that said device is suitable and safe for home use by the lay individual for the treatment of various bodily ailments and diseases without the direction, supervision or advice of a qualified physician, that it will give benefits to the skin and general health of the person using it comparable

or equivalent to or exceeding that given by natural midsummer sunlight, that use thereof for home treatment will help build strong bones and teeth, tone up the system, act as a tonic or stimulate the activity of the glands of the body, that use of said device constitutes a cure or remedy for athlete's foot, or is a competent and adequate treatment therefor, or that it will kill the germs or spores causing said condition as they exist in the skin where affected, that use thereof constitutes a cure, remedy or competent and adequate treatment for acne, pimples, and surface skin eruptions, or that its use will cause them to disappear, or that its use will build up the bodily resistance or improve the general health of the user; or which advertisements fail to reveal that the unsupervised use of said device by persons not trained in the operation thereof and not skilled in the diagnosis, analysis and methods of treatment of disease may result in severe burns and other serious injury to health; prohibited. (Sec. 5, 38 Stat. 719, as amended by sec. 3, 52 Stat. 112; 15 U.S.C., Supp. IV, sec. 45b) [Cease and desist order, Health Ray Manufacturing Company, Inc., Docket 4408, March 13, 1941]

At a regular session of the Federal Trade Commission held at its office in the City of Washington, D. C., on the 13th day of March, A. D. 1941.

This proceeding having been heard¹ by the Federal Trade Commission upon the complaint of the Commission, the answer of the respondent, and a stipulation as to the facts entered into between the respondent herein and W. T. Kelley, Chief Counsel for the Commission, which provides, among other things, that without further evidence or other intervening procedure, the Commission may issue and serve upon the respondent herein findings as to the facts and conclusion based thereon and an order disposing of the proceeding, and the Commission having made its findings as to the facts and conclusion that said respondent has violated the provisions of the Federal Trade Commission Act;

It is ordered, That the respondent, Health Ray Manufacturing Company, Inc., a corporation, its officers, representatives, agents and employees, directly or through any corporate or other device, in connection with the offering for sale, sale or distribution of a device designated "Twin-Arc Health Ray Sun Lamp," or any product of substantially similar composition or possessing substantially similar properties, whether sold under the same name or under any other name, do forthwith cease and desist from directly or indirectly:

1. Disseminating or causing to be disseminated any advertisement (a) by means of the United States mails, or (b) by any means in commerce, as "commerce" is defined in the Federal Trade Commission Act, which advertisement

¹ 6 F.R. 59.¹ 6 F.R. 899.

represents, directly or through inference, that said device is a sun lamp; that the ultraviolet rays emitted from such device are comparable to the ultraviolet rays emitted by natural sunlight, or have the same wavelengths or have an intensity equal to or greater than the ultraviolet rays of natural midsummer sunlight; that said device is suitable and safe for home use by the lay individual for the treatment of various bodily ailments and diseases without the direction, supervision or advice of a qualified physician; that said device will give benefits to the skin and general health of the person using it comparable or equivalent to or exceeding that given by natural midsummer sunlight; that the use of such device for home treatment will help build strong bones and teeth, tone up the system, act as a tonic or stimulate the activity of the glands of the body; that use of said device constitutes a cure or remedy for athlete's foot, or is a competent and adequate treatment therefor, or that it will kill the germs or spores causing said condition as they exist in the skin where affected; that the use of such device constitutes a cure, remedy, or competent and adequate treatment for acne, pimples, and surface skin eruptions, or that its use will cause them to disappear; that its use will build up the bodily resistance or improve the general health of the user; or which advertisement fails to reveal that the unsupervised use of said device by persons not trained in the operation of said device and not skilled in the diagnosis, analysis and methods of treatment of disease may result in severe burns and other serious injury to health.

2. Disseminating or causing to be disseminated any advertisement by any means for the purpose of inducing or which is likely to induce, directly or indirectly, the purchase in commerce, as "commerce" is defined in the Federal Trade Commission Act, of said device, which advertisements contain any of the representations prohibited in paragraph 1 hereof, or which fail to reveal facts material in the light of the representations contained therein, or which fail to reveal that the unsupervised use of said device by persons not trained in the operation of said device and not skilled in the diagnosis, analysis and methods of treatment of disease may result in severe burns and other serious injury to health.

It is further ordered, That the respondent shall, within sixty (60) days after service upon it of this order, file with the Commission a report in writing, setting forth in detail the manner and form in which it has complied with this order.

By the Commission.

[SEAL]

OTIS B. JOHNSON,
Secretary.

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[Docket No. 4451]

IN THE MATTER OF BEEMAN'S LABORATORY,
INC., ET AL.

§ 3.6 (t) *Advertising falsely or misleadingly—Qualities or properties of product*: § 3.6 (x) *Advertising falsely or misleadingly—Results*. Disseminating, etc., in connection with offer, etc., of respondents' "BQR" or any other substantially similar medicinal preparation, any advertisements by means of the United States mails, or in commerce, or by any means, to induce, etc., directly or indirectly, purchase in commerce, etc., of said preparation, which advertisements represent, directly or through inference, that respondents' "BQR" medicinal preparation is a cure or remedy for colds, will prevent colds or cold infection, has any curative value on the underlying factors which cause colds, will overcome cold discomforts or the misery of tough colds, constitutes a competent and effective treatment for colds, or has any therapeutic value in the treatment thereof in excess of that furnished by a laxative and a mild analgesic, prohibited. (Sec. 5, 38 Stat. 719, as amended by sec. 3, 52 Stat. 112; 15 U. S. C., Supp. IV, sec. 45b) [Cease and desist order, Beeman's Laboratory, Inc., et al., Docket 4451, March 13, 1941]

In the Matter of Beeman's Laboratory, Incorporated, a Corporation; E. A. Rush, Individually and as President of Beeman's Laboratory, Incorporated; Mrs. J. F. Rush, Individually and as Vice-President and Secretary of Beeman's Laboratory, Incorporated; and H. C. Allen, Individually and as Director of Beeman's Laboratory, Incorporated

At a regular session of the Federal Trade Commission, held at its office in the City of Washington, D. C., on the 13th day of March, A. D. 1941.

This proceeding having been heard by the Federal Trade Commission upon the complaint of the Commission and the joint and separate answer of the respondents, in which answer respondents admit all the material allegations of fact set forth in said complaint and state that they waive all intervening procedure and further hearing as to said facts, and the Commission having made its findings as to the facts and its conclusion that said respondents have violated the provisions of the Federal Trade Commission Act;

It is ordered, That respondents Beeman's Laboratory, Inc., and its officers, and E. A. Rush, Mrs. J. F. Rush and H. C. Allen, and their respective representatives, agents and employees, directly or through any corporate or other device, in connection with the offering for sale, sale or distribution of their medicinal preparation "BQR," or any other prep-

aration of substantially similar composition or possessing substantially similar properties, whether sold under the same name or under any other name, do forthwith cease and desist from directly or indirectly:

1. Disseminating or causing to be disseminated any advertisement (a) by means of the United States mail or (b) by any means in commerce, as "commerce" is defined in the Federal Trade Commission Act, which advertisements represent, directly or through inference, that respondents' medicinal preparation "BQR,"

(a) is a cure or remedy for colds;
(b) will prevent colds or cold infection;
(c) has any curative value on the underlying factors which cause colds;
(d) will overcome cold discomforts or the misery of tough colds;
(e) constitutes a competent and effective treatment for colds;
(f) has any therapeutic value in the treatment of colds in excess of that furnished by a laxative and a mild analgesic.

2. Disseminating or causing to be disseminated any advertisement by any means for the purpose of inducing or which is likely to induce, directly or indirectly, the purchase in commerce as "commerce" is defined in the Federal Trade Commission Act, of said medicinal preparation "BQR," which advertisements contain any of the representations prohibited in paragraph 1 hereof.

It is further ordered, That the respondents shall, within sixty (60) days after service upon them of this order, file with the Commission a report in writing setting forth in detail the manner and form in which they have complied with this order.

By the Commission.

[SEAL]

OTIS B. JOHNSON,
Secretary.

[F. R. Doc. 41-2272; Filed, March 27, 1941;
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TITLE 29—LABOR

CHAPTER IV—CHILDREN'S BUREAU

[Regulation No. 19]

PART 402—ACCEPTANCE OF STATE CERTIFICATES

AMENDMENT OF REGULATION RELATING TO ACCEPTANCE OF STATE CERTIFICATES

MARCH 26, 1941.

By virtue of and pursuant to the authority conferred by section 3 (1) of the Fair Labor Standards Act of 1938 (Act of June 25, 1938, c. 676, 52 Stat. 1060, U.S. Code, tit. 29, sec. 201), 29 CFR § 402-1 is hereby amended, effective April 15, 1941, for the purpose of designating Louisiana

as a State in which State age, employment or working certificates or permits shall have the same force and effect as Federal certificates of age under the Fair Labor Standards Act of 1938, so that said section shall read as follows:

§ 402.1 *Designation of States.* Pursuant to the provisions of § 401.5,¹ I hereby designate the following States as States in which State age, employment, or working certificates or permits shall have the same force and effect as Federal certificates of age under the Fair Labor Standards Act of 1938:

Alabama.	Montana.
Arizona.	Nebraska.
Arkansas.	New Hampshire.
California.	New Jersey.
Colorado.	New Mexico.
Connecticut.	New York.
Delaware.	North Carolina.
District of Columbia.	North Dakota.
Florida.	Ohio.
Georgia.	Oklahoma.
Hawaii.	Oregon.
Illinois.	Pennsylvania.
Indiana.	Puerto Rico.
Iowa.	Rhode Island.
Kansas.	South Dakota.
Kentucky.	Tennessee.
Louisiana.	Utah.
Maine.	Vermont.
Maryland.	Virginia.
Massachusetts.	Washington.
Michigan.	West Virginia.
Minnesota.	Wisconsin.
Missouri.	Wyoming.

This designation shall be effective from July 1, 1940, until June 30, 1941, unless amended or repealed by regulation hereafter made and published by the Chief of the Children's Bureau.

[SEAL] KATHARINE F. LENROOT,
Chief of the Children's Bureau.

[F. R. Doc. 41-2277; Filed, March 27, 1941;
11:49 a. m.]

TITLE 32—NATIONAL DEFENSE

CHAPTER IX—OFFICE OF PRODUCTION MANAGEMENT

SUBCHAPTER B—PRIORITIES DIVISION

[No. M-3]

GENERAL PREFERENCE ORDER TO DIRECT THE DISTRIBUTION OF FERRO TUNGSTEN, TUNGSTEN METAL POWDER, AND TUNGSTEN COMPOUND

The following order is issued by the Director of Priorities in the interest of the National Defense and pursuant to the authority vested in him by the Office of Production Management Regulation

No. 3,¹ dated March 7, 1941, Executive Order No. 8629,² dated January 7, 1941, and section 2 (a) of the Act of June 28, 1940 (Public, No. 671, 76th Congress, Third Session):

Whereas it has been found that the demands of the national defense program create a shortage in the supply of ferro tungsten, tungsten metal powder and tungsten compounds, so that it is necessary, in the interest of national defense and security, to conserve the supply and to direct the distribution of ferro tungsten, tungsten metal powder and tungsten compounds, now therefore;

Deliveries by all producers of ferro tungsten, tungsten metal powder and tungsten compounds (hereinafter called "producers") shall be made in accordance with the following preference ratings and directions:

All contracts or orders placed with such producers for delivery of ferro tungsten, tungsten metal powder and tungsten compounds which is to enter directly or indirectly into the manufacture of any material for the Army or Navy (hereinafter called "Defense Orders") and which Defense Orders do not bear a higher preference rating, are hereby assigned a preference rating of A-10.

Contracts or orders placed with such producers for delivery of ferro tungsten, tungsten metal powder, and tungsten compounds which is to enter directly or indirectly into the manufacture of any material for the defense of Great Britain, including contracts or orders from other parts of the British Empire for that purpose, (hereinafter also called "Defense Orders"), unless otherwise specifically directed by the Director of Priorities, are hereby assigned the same preference rating status as that granted to contracts or orders for ferro tungsten, tungsten metal powder and tungsten compounds entering into similar or corresponding material for the Army or Navy; and all such contracts or orders which are not thus assigned a higher preference rating (or which have not now or hereafter otherwise received such higher preference rating), are hereby assigned a preference rating of A-10.

Preference ratings will, from time to time, be assigned deliveries under contracts or orders other than Defense Orders by the Director of Priorities. No deliveries shall be made under any contracts or orders other than Defense Orders except by release pursuant to the assignment of preference ratings or by other specific order.

The sequence of deliveries under contracts or orders bearing the same preference rating shall be based on the delivery dates specified in such contracts or orders.

Where there is doubt as to whether a particular contract or order constitutes

¹ 6 F.R. 1596.

² 6 F.R. 191.

a Defense Order, the matter shall be referred to the Division of Priorities with all known facts for its determination.

All such producers shall maintain accurate records and information concerning inventories and stocks on hand, and concerning all contracts and orders placed with them, including the name and address of each customer and the kinds, quantities and value of material and applicable delivery schedules, the preference ratings assigned to such contracts and orders, and the dates of all actual deliveries thereunder; shall furnish to the Priorities Division, Office of Production Management, Washington, D. C., fifteen days before the end of each month, any such information which it may request; and shall submit from time to time, upon request, to an audit and inspection by representatives of the Priorities Division with respect to such contracts and orders, prospective and past deliveries, and inventories and stocks on hand.

This order supersedes and cancels all previous general orders and directions of the Director of Priorities, or of the Priorities Division, of the Office of Production Management applicable to such producers, and may be modified or terminated by the Director of Priorities at any time. This order shall take effect on the 26th day of March, 1941, and unless previously terminated shall expire on the 30th day of June, 1941.

E. R. STETTINIUS, Jr.,
Director of Priorities.

[F. R. Doc. 41-2256; Filed, March 26, 1941;
2:56 p. m.]

[No. M-3-a]

PREFERENCE RATING SCHEDULE FOR FERRO TUNGSTEN, TUNGSTEN METAL POWDER, TUNGSTEN COMPOUNDS

This Schedule is issued pursuant to General Preference Order M-3. Until further notice all producers of Ferro Tungsten, Tungsten Metal Powder, and Tungsten Compounds, shall make deliveries of Ferro Tungsten, Tungsten Metal Powder, and Tungsten Compounds according to the following schedule of preference ratings:

Preference rating. A. Preference ratings A-1 to A-10 inclusive shall be given to Defense Orders as defined in General Preference Order No. M-3, and to all other orders to which an A preference rating has been now or may hereafter be assigned by the Director of Priorities.

B-1. Preference rating B-1 is hereby assigned to customers' orders whose products currently are used in connection with the manufacture of Defense Orders, directly or indirectly, in substantial quantity although not bearing a specific preference rating.

All other orders may be filled after fulfillment of those specified above until

¹ Section 5, Child Labor Regulation No. 1, "Certificates of Age," issued October 14, 1938, pursuant to the authority conferred by sections 3 (1) and 11 (b) of the Fair Labor Standards Act of 1938, published in 3 F.R. 2487; republished in 4 F.R. 1361.

further order of the Director of Priorities as hereinafter provided.

General provisions. 1. This preference rating schedule is temporary, pending receipt of information called for by the attached form and pending analysis and investigation of the customers, their products, and the uses thereof.

2. Not later than April 2, 1941, all producers of Ferro Tungsten, Tungsten Metal Powder and Tungsten Compounds shall submit to the Director of Priorities of the Office of Production Management, Washington, D. C., a list of all of their customers who shall have received deliveries of over 100 pounds during the months of January, February or March 1941, and all customers requesting deliveries of over 100 pounds during April 1941, with the quantities delivered or requested for each month and the proposed deliveries for the month of April, and the producers' estimate of the percentage of deliveries which will enter into Defense Orders or be used in connection with the manufacture of Defense Orders, directly or indirectly. Such information should be furnished, tabulated and arranged in accordance with the model form attached hereto.

3. Customers of such producers should be encouraged to use substitutes for non-defense uses for Ferro Tungsten, Tungsten Metal Powder and Tungsten Compounds.

4. Deliveries of each producer during each month shall be made in the order of preference ratings assigned thereto by specific preference rating certificates or orders issued by the Director of Priorities or assigned by the foregoing preference rating schedule. If the supply of Ferro Tungsten, Tungsten Metal Powder or Tungsten Compounds available for delivery during any such month is insufficient to cover all of the above preference ratings, the Director of Priorities may issue supplementary instructions for the allocation of a portion of the available supply to lower rating groups.

5. No delivery to any customer, during any month, shall be made except upon proof that such delivery, when added to the inventory (if any) which such customer has on hand, will not exceed his requirements for such month.

This Supplementary Order shall take effect on the 26th day of March 1941.

E. R. STETTINIUS, Jr.,
Director of Priorities.

[F. R. Doc. 41-2257; Filed, March 26, 1941;
2:56 p. m.]

[E-1]

GENERAL PREFERENCE ORDER TO DIRECT THE DISTRIBUTION OF MACHINE TOOLS

The following Order is issued by the Director of Priorities in the interest of the National Defense and pursuant to the authority vested in him by the Office of Production Management Regulation

No. 3,¹ dated March 7, 1941, Executive Order No. 8629,² dated January 7, 1941, and section 2 (a) of the Act of June 28, 1940 (Public No. 671, 76th Congress, Third Session):

Whereas it has been found that the demands of the national defense program have created a shortage in the supply of machine tools (as hereinafter defined) and that it is necessary, in the interest of national defense and security, to conserve the supply and to direct the distribution of machine tools, giving preference to Defense Orders, and British Defense Orders (as hereinafter defined), now, therefore:

Deliveries by all producers of all power driven metal working machines, including hydraulic and mechanical presses, and welders (hereinafter called "machine tools") shall be made in accordance with the following preference ratings and directions:

All contracts or orders placed with such producers for delivery of machine tools which are to enter directly or indirectly into the manufacture of any material for the Army or Navy (hereinafter called "Defense Orders") and which Defense Orders do not bear a higher preference rating, are hereby assigned a preference rating of A-10.

Contracts or orders placed with such producers for delivery of machine tools which are to enter directly or indirectly into the manufacture of any materials for the defense purposes of Great Britain or the British Empire, including Canada (hereinafter called "British Defense Orders"), are hereby assigned the same preference rating status as that assigned to contracts or orders for machine tools entering into the manufacture of similar or corresponding material for the Army or Navy. All British Defense Orders which are not thus assigned a higher preference rating (or which have not, now or hereafter, otherwise received a higher preference rating) are hereby assigned a preference rating of A-10, unless otherwise specifically directed by the Director of Priorities. Provided that deliveries now scheduled under British orders, now in production, shall be made as now scheduled.

Preference ratings will, from time to time, be assigned to contracts or orders other than Defense Orders and British Defense Orders by the Director of Priorities. No deliveries shall be made under contracts or orders, other than Defense or British Defense Orders, except after release by the Director of Priorities pursuant to the assignment of preference ratings or otherwise.

The sequence of deliveries under contracts or orders bearing the same preference rating shall be based on the delivery dates agreed to by each producer and his customer in connection with such contracts or orders.

¹ 6 F.R. 1596.

² 6 F.R. 191.

Where there is doubt as to whether a particular contract or order constitutes a Defense Order or a British Defense Order, or whether a particular article constitutes a machine tool, the matter shall be referred to the Division of Priorities, with all known facts, for its determination.

All of the said producers shall maintain accurate records and information concerning inventories and stocks on hand, and concerning all contracts or orders placed with them, including the name and address of each customer, the kinds, quantities and value of material; planned delivery schedules; the dates of actual deliveries; and the preference ratings assigned to such contracts or orders; and shall furnish to the Production Division, Office of Production Management, Washington, D. C., any such information at such times and in such form and completeness as it may request or has requested; and shall, upon request, submit, from time to time, to an audit and inspection by representatives of the Priorities Division with respect to the above matters.

This Order supersedes all previous orders and directions of the Priorities Division of the Office of Production Management applicable to such producers and may be modified or terminated by the Director of Priorities at any time. This Order shall take effect on the 28th day of March, 1941, and, unless previously terminated, shall expire on the 30th day of June, 1941.

March 26, 1941.

E. R. STETTINIUS, Jr.,
Director of Priorities.

[F. R. Doc. 41-2268; Filed, March 27, 1941;
11:28 a. m.]

TITLE 33—NAVIGATION AND NAVIGABLE WATERS

CHAPTER II—CORPS OF ENGINEERS, WAR DEPARTMENT

PART 203—BRIDGE REGULATIONS¹

§203.630 *St. Croix River, Minn. and Wis.—(a) Bridge (highway) at Stillwater, Minn.* (1) During any portion of the year when the river is open to navigation, the owner of, or agency controlling, this bridge will keep thereat a draw tender in constant attendance between 8 a. m. and 12 o'clock midnight on Saturdays, Sundays, and on Federal and State legal holidays. At all other times a draw tender will not be required in constant attendance at this bridge.

(2) Whenever a vessel unable to pass under the closed bridge desires to pass through the draw during the periods when a draw tender is not required to be in constant attendance, at least two (2) hours advance notice of the time the opening is required shall be given to the

¹ § 203.630 is amended.

authorized representative of the owner of, or agency controlling, the bridge.

(3) Upon receipt of such notice, the authorized representative of the owner of, or agency controlling, the bridge shall arrange for the prompt opening of the draw at the time specified in the notice for the passage of the vessel.

(4) The owner of, or agency controlling, the bridge shall keep conspicuously posted on both the upstream and down stream sides of the bridge and in a manner that it can be read at any time a sign giving the number of hours advance notice provided for in these regulations and exact information stating how the representative specified in paragraph (2) may be reached.

(5) The operating machinery of the draw shall be maintained in a serviceable condition, and the draw opened and closed at least once each quarter to make certain that the machinery is in proper order for satisfactory operation.

(6) The regulations approved June 1, 1938, applying to the above-named bridge are hereby revoked. (Sec. 5, River and Harbor Act, Aug. 18, 1894, 28 Stat. 362; 33 U.S.C. 499) [Regs. March 11, 1941 (E.D. 6371 (Minn.—St. Croix R.—Stillwater)—28/4)]

[SEAL]

E. S. ADAMS,
Major General,
The Adjutant General.

[F. R. Doc. 41-2263; Filed, March 27, 1941;
9:49 a. m.]

TITLE 47—TELECOMMUNICATION CHAPTER I—FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION

PART 61—TARIFFS

RULES GOVERNING THE CONSTRUCTION, FILING AND POSTING OF SCHEDULES OF CHARGES FOR INTERSTATE AND FOREIGN COMMUNICATION SERVICE

The Commission on March 25, 1941, effective immediately, took the following action:

Adopted the following new section to read:

§ 61.138 *Alaskan carriers and licensees of mobile radio stations.* Any carrier operating by wire or radio in Alaska and any licensee of a mobile radio station operating as a common carrier for hire, participating in service with a carrier that has published and filed with the Commission a tariff or tariffs containing the charges and regulations of such carrier operating in Alaska or of such licensee applicable to such service, will not be required to file a written concurrence in such tariff or tariffs; but any such carrier operating in Alaska or any such licensee so participating in service for which it has not filed a written concurrence or for which it does not have on file with the Commission an effective tariff issued by it and in its own name, shall be deemed, to all intents and pur-

poses, to have assented to, adopted and concurred in the tariff or tariffs applicable to the service filed by the other carrier the same as if it had filed a written concurrence in the manner and form provided in these rules. (Sec. 203 (a), 48 Stat. 1070; 47 U.S.C. 203 (a).)

Amended § 61.131¹ by inserting the words "except as provided in § 61.138," between "and" and "authority" in line 17 of § 61.131.

Amended § 61.132¹ by inserting the words "except as provided in § 61.138," between "and" and "authority" in line 18 of § 61.132.

Amended § 61.133² by adding at the end of the section the words "except as provided in § 61.138."

By the Commission.

[SEAL]

T. J. SLOWIE,
Secretary.

[F. R. Doc. 41-2266; Filed, March 27, 1941;
10:07 a. m.]

Notices

TREASURY DEPARTMENT.

Bureau of the Public Debt.

[1941 Department Circular No. 656]

PARTIAL REDEMPTION, BEFORE MATURITY, OF 2¾ PERCENT MUTUAL MORTGAGE INSURANCE FUND DEBENTURES, SERIES B

WASHINGTON, March 25, 1941.

To Holders of 2¾ Percent Mutual Mortgage Insurance Fund Debentures, Series B:

I. NOTICE OF FIFTH CALL FOR PARTIAL REDEMPTION, BEFORE MATURITY, OF 2¾ PERCENT MUTUAL MORTGAGE INSURANCE FUND DEBENTURES, SERIES B

The Federal Housing Administrator, with the approval of the Secretary of the Treasury, has issued the following notice of call for partial redemption and offer to purchase with respect to 2¾ percent Mutual Mortgage Insurance Fund debentures, Series B:

Pursuant to the authority conferred by the National Housing Act (48 Stat. 1246; U.S.C., title 12, sec. 1701 et seq.) as amended, public notice is hereby given that 2¾ percent Mutual Mortgage Insurance Fund debentures, Series B, of the denominations, and serial numbers designated below, are hereby called for redemption, at par and accrued interest, on July 1, 1941, on which date interest on such debentures shall cease:

Denomination:	Serial nos. (all numbers inclusive)
\$50	619 to 838
\$100	2260 to 3112
\$500	947 to 1190
\$1,000	2890 to 3999
\$5,000	178 to 247
\$10,000	20 to 30

* 5 F.R. 5083.

* 5 F.R. 5084.

The debentures first issued, as determined by the serial numbers, were selected for redemption by the Federal Housing Administrator, with the approval of the Secretary of the Treasury.

No transfers or denominational exchanges in debentures covered by the foregoing call will be made on the books maintained by the Treasury Department on or after April 1, 1941. This does not affect the right of the holder of a debenture to sell and assign the debenture on or after April 1, 1941, and provision will be made for the payment of final interest due July 1, 1941, with the principal thereof to the actual owner, as shown by the assignments thereon.

The Federal Housing Administrator hereby offers to purchase any debentures included in this call at any time from April 1 to June 30, 1941, inclusive, at par and accrued interest, to date of purchase.

Instructions for the presentation and surrender of debentures for redemption on or after July 1, 1941, or for purchase prior to that date will be given by the Secretary of the Treasury.

II. TRANSACTIONS IN FIFTH-CALLED DEBENTURES

1. The debentures included in the foregoing notice of call for partial redemption on July 1, 1941, are hereby designated fifth-called 2¾ percent Mutual Mortgage Insurance Fund debentures, Series B, and are hereinafter referred to as fifth-called debentures.

2. Transfers and denominational exchanges in fifth-called debentures will terminate at the close of business on March 31, 1941.

III. REDEMPTION OR PURCHASE

1. Holders of fifth-called debentures will be entitled to have such debentures redeemed and paid at par on July 1, 1941, with interest in full to that date, at the rate of \$13.75 per \$1,000. Interest on fifth-called debentures will cease on July 1, 1941.

2. Holders of fifth-called debentures have the privilege of presenting such debentures at any time from April 1 to June 30, 1941, inclusive, for purchase at par and accrued interest, at the rate of \$0.075967 per \$1,000 per day from January 1, 1941, to date of purchase.

IV. RULES AND REGULATIONS GOVERNING REDEMPTION AND PURCHASE

1. The United States Treasury Department is the agent of the Federal Housing Administrator for the redemption and purchase of fifth-called debentures. In accordance with regulations adopted by the Federal Housing Administrator and approved by the Secretary of the Treasury, the assignment, redemption, and purchase of fifth-called debentures will be governed by the general regulations of the Treasury Department with respect to United States bonds and notes, so far as applicable, except as otherwise provided herein.

2. Fifth-called debentures presented for redemption on July 1, 1941, or for purchase from April 1 to June 30, 1941, inclusive, must be assigned by the registered payee or assignee thereof or by their duly constituted representatives in the form indicated in paragraph 3 hereof, and should thereafter be presented and surrendered to any Federal Reserve Bank or to the Division of Loans and Currency, Treasury Department, Washington, D. C., accompanied by appropriate written advice. (Use Form PD 1678.¹) The debentures must be delivered at the expense and risk of the holders. (See paragraph 8 of this section.) In all cases checks in payment of principal and final interest will be mailed to the address given in the form of advice accompanying the debentures when surrendered.

3. If the registered payee or an assignee holding under proper assignment from the registered payee desires that payment be made to him, the debentures should be assigned by such payee or assignee or by a duly constituted representative to "The Federal Housing Administrator for redemption" or to "The Federal Housing Administrator for purchase," according to whether the debentures are to be presented for redemption on July 1, 1941, or for purchase prior to that date. If it is desired for any reason that payment be made to some other person without intermediate assignment, the debentures should be assigned to "The Federal Housing Administrator for redemption (or purchase) for the account of -----," inserting the name and address of the person to whom payment is to be made.

4. An assignment in blank or other assignment having similar effect will be recognized, but in that event payment will be made to the person surrendering the debenture for redemption or purchase since, under such an assignment, the debenture becomes in effect payable to bearer. Assignments in blank or assignments having similar effect should be avoided, if possible, in order not to lose the protection afforded by registration.

5. Final interest on any fifth-called debentures, whether purchased prior to, or redeemed on or after July 1, 1941, will be paid with the principal in accordance with the assignments on the debentures surrendered.

6. All assignments must be made on the debentures themselves unless otherwise directed by the Treasury Department. Detached assignments will be recognized and accepted in any particular case in which the use of detached assignments is specifically authorized by the Treasury Department. Any assignment not made upon the debenture is considered a detached assignment.

7. A fifth-called debenture registered in the name of, or assigned to, a corporation, will be paid to such corporation on or after July 1, 1941, upon an appropriate assignment for that purpose executed on behalf of the corporation by a duly authorized officer thereof. An assignment so executed and duly attested in accordance with Treasury Department regulations will ordinarily be accepted without proof of the officer's authority. In all cases coming under this provision payment will be made only by check drawn to the order of the corporation. Proof of the authority of the officer assigning on behalf of a corporation will be required, in accordance with the general regulations of the Treasury Department, in the case of assignments for purchase prior to July 1, 1941, and in case of assignments for redemption on or after July 1, 1941, for the account of any person other than the corporation.

8. Debentures presented for redemption or purchase under this circular must be delivered to a Federal Reserve Bank or to the Division of Loans and Currency, Treasury Department, Washington, D. C., at the expense and risk of the holder. Debentures bearing restricted assignments may be forwarded by registered mail, but debentures bearing unrestricted assignments should be forwarded by registered mail insured or by express prepaid.

9. In order to facilitate the redemption of fifth-called debentures on July 1, 1941, any such debenture may be presented and surrendered in the manner herein prescribed in advance of that date but not before June 1, 1941. Such early presentation by holders will insure prompt payment of principal and interest when due.

V. GENERAL PROVISIONS

1. Any further information which may be desired regarding the redemption of fifth-called debentures under this circular may be obtained from any Federal Reserve Bank or from the Division of Loans and Currency, Treasury Department, Washington, D. C., where copies of the Treasury Department's regulations governing assignments may be obtained.

2. As fiscal agents of the United States, Federal Reserve Banks are authorized and requested to perform any necessary acts under this circular. The Secretary of the Treasury may at any time or from time to time prescribe supplemental and amendatory rules and regulations governing the matters covered by this circular, which will be communicated promptly to the registered owners of fifth-called debentures.

[SEAL] D. W. BELL,
Acting Secretary of the Treasury.

[F. R. Doc. 41-2267; Filed, March 27, 1941;
10:47 a. m.]

WAR DEPARTMENT.

[Contract No. W-849-ORD-2303]

SUMMARY OF CONTRACT FOR SUPPLIES¹

CONTRACTOR: CARTER CARBURETOR CORPORATION

Contract for Fuze, * * * (Sets of Metal Parts, Less Booster, * * *).
Amount: \$1,331,715.20.

Place: St. Louis Ordnance District, St. Louis, Missouri.

The fuzes to be obtained by this instrument are authorized by, are for the purpose set forth in, and are chargeable to Procurement Authority ORD 6861 P11-0270 A1005-01, the available balance of which is sufficient to cover cost of same.

This contract, entered into this eighth day of January, 1941.

Scope of this contract. The contractor shall furnish and deliver * * * Fuse, * * * (Sets of Metal Parts, Less Booster, * * *) for the consideration stated one million three hundred thirty one thousand seven hundred fifteen dollars and twenty cents (\$1,331,715.20) in strict accordance with the specifications, schedules and drawings, all of which are made a part hereof.

Changes. Where the supplies to be furnished are to be specially manufactured in accordance with drawings and specifications, the contracting officer may at any time, by a written order, and without notice to the sureties, make changes in the drawings or specifications, except Federal Specifications. Changes as to shipment and packing of all supplies may also be made as above provided.

Payments. The contractor shall be paid, upon the submission of properly certified invoices or vouchers, the prices stipulated herein for articles delivered and accepted or services rendered, less deductions, if any, as herein provided. Payments will be made on partial deliveries accepted by the Government when requested by the contractor, whenever such payments would equal or exceed either \$1,000 or 50 percent of the total amount of the contract.

Liquidated damages. If the contractor refuses or fails to make delivery of the materials or supplies within the time specified in Article 1, or any extension thereof, the actual damage to the Government for the delay will be impossible to determine, and in lieu thereof, the contractor shall pay to the Government, as fixed, agreed, and liquidated damages * * * percent of the contract price of the undelivered portion for each day of delay in making delivery beyond the dates set forth in the contract for deliveries with a maximum liquidated damage charge of * * * percent, and the contractor and his sureties shall be liable for the amount thereof.

¹ Approved by the Under Secretary of War March 20, 1941.

¹ Filed as part of original document.

Quantities. The Government reserves the right to increase the quantity on this contract by as much as * * * percent and at the unit price specified in Article 1, such option to be exercised within * * * days from date of this contract.

Performance bond. Contractor shall be required to furnish a performance bond in duplicate in the sum of ten per centum (10%) of the total amount of this contract with surety or other security acceptable to the Government to cover the successful completion of this contract.

Termination when contractor not in default. This contract is subject to termination by the Government at any time as its interests may require.

Place of manufacture. The contractor will perform the work under this contract in the factory or factories listed below:

Carter Carburetor Corporation, St. Louis, Missouri.

Facilities which are to be property of the Government. The new facilities, listed in Appendix A, made a part of this contract and incorporated herein, the total price of which is included in the total price of the contract for which the contractor is reimbursed, are to be the property of the Government, and title to them shall vest in the Government. The Government hereby grants to the contractor the right to use such new facilities in connection with the work herein contracted for during the life of the contract, and the contractor agrees to keep the facilities in good condition and repair.

This contract is authorized by the Act of Congress approved July 2, 1940 (Public No. 703, 76th Congress)

FRANK W. BULLOCK,
Major, Signal Corps,
Assistant to the Director of
Purchases and Contracts.

[F. R. Doc. 41-2261; Filed, March 27, 1941;
9:48 a. m.]

[Contract No. W-271-ORD-529]

SUMMARY OF CONTRACT FOR SUPPLIES¹

CONTRACTOR: RHEEM MANUFACTURING
COMPANY

Contract for * * * Bodies and
Fins for Bombs, Practice, * * *.
Amount. \$3,051,657.00.

Place: Chicago Ordnance District Office,
309 W. Jackson Blvd., Chicago, Illinois.

The * * * Bodies and Fins for Bombs, Practice, * * *, to be obtained by this instrument are authorized by, are for the purpose set forth in, and are chargeable to the Procurement Au-

thority O. S. & S. A. ORD 6802 P11-0270 A 1005-01, the available balance of which is sufficient to cover the cost of same.

This contract, entered into this Fifteenth day of February 1941.

Scope of this contract. The contractor shall furnish and deliver Bodies and Fins for Bombs, Practice, * * *, for the consideration stated of three million fifty-one thousand six hundred fifty-seven (\$3,051,657.00) dollars, in strict accordance with the specifications, schedules and drawings, all of which are made a part hereof.

Changes. Where the supplies to be furnished are to be specially manufactured in accordance with drawings and specifications, the contracting officer may at any time, by a written order, and without notice to the sureties, make changes in the drawings or specifications, except Federal Specifications. Changes as to shipment and packing of all supplies may also be made as above provided.

Delays—Damages. If the contractor refuses or fails to make deliveries of the materials or supplies within the time specified in Article 1, or any extension thereof, the Government may by written notice terminate the right of the contractor to proceed with deliveries or such part or parts thereof as to which there has been delay.

Payments. The contractor shall be paid, upon the submission of properly certified invoices or vouchers, the prices stipulated herein for articles delivered and accepted or services rendered, less deductions, if any, as herein provided. Payments will be made on partial deliveries accepted by the Government when requested by the contractor, whenever such payments would equal or exceed either \$1,000 or 50 percent of the total amount of the contract.

Increased quantities. The Government reserves the right to increase the quantity on this contract by as much as * * * percent, and at the Unit price specified in Article 1, such option to be exercised within * * * days from date of this contract.

Termination when contractor not in default. This contract is subject to termination by the Government at any time as its interests may require.

Performance bond. Contractors shall be required to furnish a performance bond in duplicate in the sum of ten per centum of the total amount of this contract with surety or other security acceptable to the Government to cover the successful completion of this contract.

Place of manufacture. The Contractor will perform the work under this contract in the factory or factories listed below:

Rheem Manufacturing Company, Chicago Plant, Chicago, Illinois.

Price adjustments. The contract prices stated in Article 1 are subject to adjust-

ments for changes in labor and materials costs.

It is expressly agreed that quotas for labor will not be altered on account of delays in completion.

FRANK W. BULLOCK,
Major, Signal Corps,
Assistant to the Director of
Purchases and Contracts.

[F. R. Doc. 41-2260; Filed, March 27, 1941;
9:48 a. m.]

NAVY DEPARTMENT.

[Nod-1530]

SUMMARY OF CONTRACT FOR CONSTRUCTION

CONTRACTOR: ELECTRIC BOAT COMPANY, ELCO
WORKS, BAYONNE, NEW JERSEY

Under date of September 17, 1940, the Navy Department entered into a contract with the Electric Boat Company for the construction of twelve (12) motor torpedo boats and twelve (12) motor boat submarine chasers at its plant at Bayonne, New Jersey, the total contract price for the motor torpedo boats being \$3,251,004.00 or \$270,917.00 per vessel, and the total contract price for the motor boat submarine chasers being \$3,303,204.00 or \$275,267.00 per vessel.

The above contract provides for the suspension, termination, or cancellation of the contract, with an equitable basis of settlement, to safeguard the Government's interest should the public exigency require such action. In the event of termination due to fault of the contractor, the Government may complete the construction of the vessels for the account of the contractor.

The contract price is subject to adjustment (1) for the net increase for changes, separately, in wages and material costs, (2) for increases in cost due to either approved overtime or shift work or both, as the case may be, and (3) for increases in cost due to changes in the plans and specifications which may be ordered by the Navy Department during the course of construction.

C. A. JONES,
Acting Chief of Bureau.

[F. R. Doc. 41-2258; Filed, March 26, 1941;
4:39 p. m.]

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE.

Rural Electrification Administration.

[Administrative Order No. 567]

ALLOCATION OF FUNDS FOR LOANS

MARCH 21, 1941.

By virtue of the authority vested in me by the provisions of section 5 of the Rural Electrification Act of 1936, as amended, I hereby allocate, from the sums authorized by said Act, funds for a

¹ Approved by the Under Secretary of War March 20, 1941.

loan for the project and in the amount as set forth in the following schedule:

Project designation: Amount
Ohio 1001R3 Miami \$17,000

[SEAL] HARRY SLATTERY,
Administrator.

[F. R. Doc. 41-2276; Filed, March 27, 1941;
11:38 a. m.]

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE.

Civil Aeronautics Authority.

[Docket No. 233]

IN THE MATTER OF THE AIR TRAVEL CARD PLAN, GOVERNMENT TRAVEL DISCOUNT PROVISIONS, AND OTHER SPECIAL TARIFF DISCOUNTS OF CERTAIN AIR CARRIERS

NOTICE OF ORAL ARGUMENT

The above-entitled proceeding, being a general investigation as to the Air Travel Card Plan, Government Travel Discount Provisions, and other special tariff discounts, all amendments and supplements thereto and all practices in connection therewith, is hereby assigned for oral argument before the Board on April 3, 1941, 10 o'clock a. m. (Eastern Standard Time) in Room 5044 Commerce Building, 14th Street and Constitution Avenue, NW., Washington, D. C.

Dated Washington, D. C., March 26, 1941.

By the Civil Aeronautics Board.

[SEAL] DONALD W. NYROP,
Acting Secretary.

[F. R. Doc. 41-2259; Filed, March 27, 1941;
9:48 a. m.]

FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION.

[Docket No. 6044]

NOTICE RELATIVE TO DELTA BROADCASTING Co., Inc. (WQBC)

Application dated January 4, 1941; for, modification of construction permit; class of service, broadcast; class of station, broadcast; location, Vicksburg, Mississippi; operating assignment specified; frequency, 1,300 kc; power, 500 w night, 1 kw day; hours of operation, unlimited; (requests facilities of WTJS).

You are hereby notified that the Commission has examined the above described application and has designated the matter for hearing for the following reasons:

1. To determine whether the granting of the application would be consistent with the Standards of Good Engineering Practice.

2. To determine whether the granting of this application would tend toward a fair, efficient and equitable distribution of radio service as contemplated by section 307 (b) of the Communications Act of 1934, as amended.

3. To determine the nature and extent of any interference which would result to the service of Stations KCRC, Enid, Oklahoma; WCSC, Charleston, South Carolina; and WGES, Chicago, Illinois, should Station WQBC operate as proposed.

4. To determine the area and population now served by Station WQBC, and which would be served by it, if operated as proposed.

5. To determine whether public interest would be served better by the operation of WQBC on the frequency 1,360 kc. as proposed by applicant than by operation of WTJS on the frequency as authorized in a construction permit issued to the licensee of the latter station.

The application involved herein will not be granted by the Commission unless the issues listed above are determined in favor of the applicant on the basis of a record duly and properly made by means of a formal hearing.

The applicant is hereby given the opportunity to obtain a hearing on such issues by filing a written appearance in accordance with the provisions of § 1.382 (b) of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure. Persons other than the applicant who desire to be heard must file a petition to intervene in accordance with the provisions of § 1.102 of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure.

The applicant's address is as follows:

Delta Broadcasting Co., Inc., Radio Station WQBC, Hotel Vicksburg, Cor. Clay & Walnut Sts., Vicksburg, Mississippi.

Dated at Washington, D. C., March 25, 1941.

By the Commission.

[SEAL] T. J. SLOWIE,
Secretary.

[F. R. Doc. 41-2265; Filed, March 27, 1941;
10:07 a. m.]

FEDERAL LOAN AGENCY.

Federal Housing Administration.

NOTICE OF CALL FOR PARTIAL REDEMPTION, BEFORE MATURITY OF 2¾ PERCENT MUTUAL MORTGAGE INSURANCE FUND DEBENTURES, SERIES B

MARCH 24, 1941.

To holders of 2¾ percent Mutual Mortgage Insurance Fund debentures, Series B:

Pursuant to the authority conferred by the National Housing Act (48 Stat. 1246; U.S.C. title 12, sec. 1701 et seq.) as amended, public notice is hereby given that 2¾ percent Mutual Mortgage Insurance Fund debentures, Series B, of the denominations and serial numbers designated below, are hereby called for redemption, at par and accrued interest,

on July 1, 1941, on which date interest on such debentures shall cease:

Denomination:	Serial numbers (All numbers inclusive)
\$50	619 to 838
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\$1,000	2,890 to 3,999
\$5,000	178 to 247
\$10,000	20 to 30

The debentures first issued, as determined by the serial numbers, were selected for redemption by the Federal Housing Administrator, with the approval of the Secretary of the Treasury.

No transfers or denominational exchanges in debentures covered by the foregoing call will be made on the books maintained by the Treasury Department on or after April 1, 1941. This does not affect the right of the holder of a debenture to sell and assign the debenture on or after April 1, 1941, and provision will be made for the payment of final interest due July 1, 1941, with the principal thereof to the actual owner, as shown by the assignments thereon.

The Federal Housing Administrator hereby offers to purchase any debentures included in this call at any time from April 1 to June 30, 1941, inclusive, at par and accrued interest, to date of purchase.

Instructions for the presentation and surrender of debentures for redemption on or after July 1, 1941, or for purchase prior to that date will be given by the Secretary of the Treasury.

ABNER H. FERGUSON,
Administrator.

Approved: March 25, 1941.

D. W. BELL,
Acting Secretary of the Treasury.

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SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION.

IN THE MATTER OF EQUITABLE SECURITIES COMPANY OF ILLINOIS, 105 SOUTH LA-SALLE STREET, CHICAGO, ILLINOIS

FINDINGS AND ORDER REVOKING REGISTRATION

At a regular session of the Securities and Exchange Commission, held at its office in the City of Washington, D. C., on the 26th day of March, A. D. 1941.

Appearances: A. L. Hoffman of the Chicago Regional Office of the Commission, for the Trading and Exchange Division.

This proceeding was commenced under section 15 (b) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 to determine whether the registration as a broker and dealer of Equitable Securities Company of Illinois should be suspended or revoked. Pursuant to an order of the Commission dated February 4, 1941, and notice served upon the registrant, the hearing in this matter

was held before a trial examiner in Chicago, Illinois, on February 25, 1941.

The order for hearing recited that the staff had reported to the Commission information obtained as a result of an investigation of the registrant which tended to show that:

(a) During the period from February 1938 to the date of the order, registrant, through its president, Philip Mango, and its salesmen, had solicited business from various people residing in Illinois and Indiana, including many elderly persons unfamiliar with securities and securities markets;

(b) The registrant, knowing that many of the persons solicited were unfamiliar with securities and securities markets, by various schemes and devices secured the trust and confidence of such persons for the purpose of inducing them to buy or sell securities;

(c) The registrant induced such persons to believe that its advice with respect to transactions involving the purchase or sale of securities by such customers was impartial and that transactions which it recommended would be to the advantage of such customers;

(d) During the period in question, the registrant induced various persons whose trust and confidence had thus been obtained to purchase and sell securities by means of material misrepresentations with respect to the nature of the relationship between the registrant and these persons, the prevailing market values of the securities which the registrant and its agents induced customers to buy or sell, the amount of the proceeds obtained by the registrant from the sale of certain securities of customers, and the amount of such proceeds invested in other securities for customers. During this period, registrant induced these persons to purchase securities at prices far in excess both of the existing market price and of the price registrant paid for the securities, and also induced persons to sell securities at prices far below both the existing market price and the price registrant obtained for the securities;

(e) The registrant used the mails and instruments of interstate commerce in effecting transactions in, and in inducing the purchase and sale of, such securities.

The hearing was ordered to determine whether the facts reported by the staff are true; whether registrant wilfully violated section 17 (a) of the Securities Act of 1933 and section 15 (c) (1) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934; and, if so, whether it is in the public interest to revoke or suspend the registrant's registration as a broker and dealer.

No representative of the registrant appeared at the hearing, but the record contains a document entitled "Answer and Consent to Revocation of Registration," signed by the registrant's president

and duly authorized by its board of directors, which acknowledges receipt and service of adequate notice of the proceeding, admits and acknowledges the existence of the facts and the cause of action set out in the order, and consents to the entry of an order revoking its registration as an over-the-counter broker and dealer.

The trial examiner found that the facts are as stated in the order for hearing; that the registrant has violated section 17 (a) of the Securities Act of 1933 and section 15 (c) (1) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934; and that it is in the public interest to revoke registration. Upon an independent review of the record, we adopt these findings of the trial examiner.

It is therefore ordered, Pursuant to section 15 (b) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, that the registration of Equitable Securities Company of Illinois as a broker and dealer be, and it hereby is, revoked.

By the Commission (Chairman Frank, Commissioners Healy, Eicher, and Pike), Commissioner Henderson being absent and not participating.

[SEAL] FRANCIS P. BRASSOR,
Secretary.

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[File No. 54-22]

IN THE MATTER OF CENTRAL U. S. UTILITIES
COMPANY AND PENNSYLVANIA INVESTING
CORPORATION

NOTICE OF AND ORDER FOR HEARING

At a regular session of the Securities and Exchange Commission held at its office in the City of Washington, D. C., on the 27th day of March, A. D. 1941.

A declaration or application (or both) and amendments thereto having been duly filed with this Commission pursuant to the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 by the above-named parties;

It is ordered, That a hearing on such matter under the applicable provisions of said Act and the rules of the Commission thereunder be held on April 14, 1941 at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon of that day at the Securities and Exchange Building, 1778 Pennsylvania Avenue NW., Washington, D. C. On such day the hearing room clerk in Room 1102 will advise as to the room where such hearing will be held. At such hearing, if in respect of any declaration, cause shall be shown why such declaration shall become effective.

It is further ordered, That Willis E. Monty or any other officer or officers of the Commission designated by it for that purpose shall preside at the hearing in such matter. The officer so designated to preside at any such hearing is hereby authorized to exercise all powers granted to the Commission under section 18 (c)

of said Act and to a trial examiner under the Commission's Rules of Practice.

Notice of such hearing is hereby given to such applicants or declarants and to any other person whose participation in such proceeding may be in the public interest or for the protection of investors or consumers. It is requested that any person desiring to be heard or to be admitted as a party to such proceeding shall file a notice to that effect with the Commission on or before April 9, 1941.

The matter concerned herewith is in regard to the proposed merger into Central U. S. Utilities Company, a registered holding company, of its subsidiary, Pennsylvania Investing Corporation. Central U. S. Utilities Company proposes to acquire all of the assets of its said subsidiary and to assume all of its liabilities. The common stock of Pennsylvania Investing Corporation consisting of 1,000 shares of the par value of \$1.00 will be surrendered by Central U. S. Utilities Company for cancellation.

By the Commission.

[SEAL] FRANCIS P. BRASSOR,
Secretary.

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[File No. 70-288]

IN THE MATTER OF WISCONSIN ELECTRIC
POWER COMPANY

NOTICE REGARDING FILING

At a regular session of the Securities and Exchange Commission, held at its office in the City of Washington, D. C., on the 27th day of March, A. D. 1941.

Notice is hereby given that a declaration or application (or both), has been filed with this Commission pursuant to the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 by the above named party; and

Notice is further given that any interested person may, not later than April 12th at 1:00 p. m., E. S. T., if such date be a Saturday, request the Commission in writing that a hearing be held on such matter, stating the reasons for such request and the nature of his interest, or may request that he be notified if the Commission should order a hearing thereon. At any time thereafter such declaration or application, as filed or as amended, may become effective or may be granted, as provided in Rule U-8 of the Rules and Regulations promulgated pursuant to said Act. Any such request should be addressed: Secretary, Securities and Exchange Commission, Washington, D. C.

All interested persons are referred to said declaration or application, which is on file in the office of said Commission, for a statement of the transactions therein proposed, which are summarized below:

Wisconsin Electric Power Company, a subsidiary of The North American Com-

pany, a registered holding company, proposes to extend to the 28th day of October in the years 1949, 1950 and 1951, the respective maturities of three notes issued by it on the 28th day of October, 1938, to The Chase National Bank of the City of New York due on October 28th in the

years 1941, 1942 and 1943 in the principal amount of \$1,250,000, \$1,250,000 and \$1,500,000 respectively; to pay interest on said notes at the rate of 3% per annum during such extended maturity; and to make certain other incidental alterations in the Loan Agreement with said bank

dated October 4, 1938 pursuant to which said notes were originally issued.

By the Commission.

[SEAL]

FRANCIS P. BRASSOR,
Secretary.

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